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Newport News Page

Important Happenings and Local Notes from the County Seat.

L. B. WELLMAN, Local Editor

Grand Army Notice.

Baxter Post and Baxter Ladies' Relief Corps will at their regular meeting to be held at their respective halls in L. O. O. F. block, Newport, on Wednesday, the 1st day of January next, at 2 o'clock p. m., install all officers for the ensuing year for both post and corps. At 6 p. m. the ladies will give one of their celebrated banquets to all old comrades and all associates with the G. A. R. with their wives. At 7:30 o'clock the post will hold a Grand Camp Fire for the whole county. This is in accordance with the suggestion of the Deputy Commander Niles, who is expected to be present with his wife. Now, old comrades, our ranks are fast thinning, but let those that are spared make a grand effort to make this one of the events of our soldiers' lives. The general public are cordially invited to come to the installment exercises and also in the evening. Come old comrades, come everybody, per command of A. C. Sleeper, Commander.

B. F. Hamilton,
Adjutant and committee.

NEWPORT

V. M. Parker of Lowell was in town Friday.

Harry Whittaker is spending the holidays at home.

C. F. Ranney spent Christmas with his son Will, at Penacook, N. H.

E. A. Norton and Mrs. G. L. Christie of Glover were in town Friday.

F. L. Patterson entertained his cousin, Carroll Whitehead of Albany, last week.

Ex Gov. G. H. Prouty returned Friday night from a business trip to the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Edmunds and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Parker of Troy were in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Vincent Jones entertained a party of friends at cards last week Tuesday evening.

L. J. Parker and Mr. Hagar of West Main street have recently had electric lights put into their houses.

Alfred Gale is at home from Worcester, as is also John Young. Maurice Blanchard is up from Dartmouth.

Mrs. E. F. Humphrey, while safely passing the crisis in an attack of pneumonia, is still very ill from other causes.

A chicken pie dinner will be given at the Methodist church dining rooms on New Year's Day from 12 till 2 o'clock.

Percy Fee has resumed his labors with the local Canadian Pacific office force, after an absence of three years in Canada.

Paul Babel has closed his labors as chauffeur for Ex. Gov. G. H. Prouty and has gone to his home in Manchester for a time.

Sir Knights of Malta Commandery, No. 10, Knights Templar, will observe Christmas at their assembly on Wednesday at 11 a. m.

Morris Farman returned Saturday from Lowell and started Sunday morning for Wakefield, Kan., where he will spend the winter.

Day's orchestra will furnish music for the New Year's ball at the Frontier house at North Troy on Tuesday evening, December 31.

Mrs. M. L. Elkins has closed her home on Prospect street and went Thursday to Lowell, Mass., to spend the winter with her son.

Jack Storrs is at home from his school in Bordentown, N. J., and Effingham Bartlett from Dean academy at Franklin, Mass.

Mail trains from Sherbrooke were badly delayed Saturday by reason of derailments of freight trains on both the Grand Trunk and Boston & Maine.

After the holidays practically all the stores in the village will close every evening except Mondays and Saturdays. They will be closed on Christmas.

Fire among some waste in a shed adjoining the small store in Batesville last Tuesday caused an alarm to be rung in from Box No. 56. The fire was all out before the fire companies could get to it.

Miss Molly Reid has finished her labors as stenographer for the law firm of Young & Young and has returned to her home in Dover, N. H., whence she goes to Lawrence, Mass., where she has another position.

A five dollar bill was picked up from the floor of the post-office lobby Monday morning and the loser escaped a Christmas financial shortage through the honesty of the finder, who handed the money to the post-office officials.

One of the most attractive calendars for 1913 is that which is being put out by E. F. Humphrey of the Novelty store. The calendar will only be supplied to stores and other places frequented by the public as the supply is limited.

The Lyman H. Howe Moving Pictures at Lane's Thursday night were as good as ever and drew a large patronage, though the house was not crowded. The exhibition was given under the auspices of the Epworth League of the M. E. church.

Special Christmas exercises were held at the Congregational church on Sunday evening and a Christmas tree on Tuesday evening was provided for the children, whereon were displayed gifts provided from the proceeds of Red Tag day, about \$85 dollars being realized in this way.

Robbins to Succeed F. C. Smith.

Announcement is made of the candidacy of Harry T. Robbins, the representative from Newport, for appointment to the office of National Bank examiner, made vacant by the recent resignation of Fuller C. Smith of St. Albans. Mr. Robbins is one of the young progressive men of Vermont and is considered among banking men of the state as one of the best. He was born in Derby, May 14, 1874, where he passed the early days of his life and was graduated from Derby academy. In 1890 he moved to Newport and has since made that town his home. He began his banking career with the National Bank of Newport and worked his way step by step until he reached his present position of cashier of the institution. He has held several town offices, among which is that of town auditor.

Don't forget the grand concert by the University of Vermont Musical clubs to be given on Thursday evening, Jan. 2, at Lane's, under the auspices of the seniors of Newport high school. Twenty-five college boys compose the cast and the Glee club is directed by Harry R. Dane.

Judging from the people upon our streets and the congestion of customers in the stores, local merchants can find no fault so far with their holiday trade and surely those who wish to purchase must be able to find what they desire as Christmas stocks seem never more complete.

After 18 hours of rain followed by snow for about the same length of time, Dec. 21, the first day of winter, was fair and pleasant, though rather cold. Let's hope no worse weather is in store for us between now and March 20. Surely the mild weather of the past few weeks has helped mightily on the coal bin.

The Company L. basket ball team defeated the Stanstead A. A. at School hall Thursday evening. The score was 91 to 13, Newport practically scoring at will. This team though recently organized has played four games and won three, meeting defeat at St. Johnsbury at the hands of the French Catholic association. They are looking for games and ought to continue to make a good showing.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and if it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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COVENTRY

Charles Perry is failing.

Alonzo Priest, who has been ill, is better.

Mrs. H. A. McMurray is very seriously ill.

Walter Cleveland is home from St. Johnsbury.

Carroll Brooks of Newport spent Sunday at home.

Miss Emma Bean of Warren, N. H., is here for her Christmas vacation.

Miss Myra Douglass is home from Bradford for the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. W. E. Niles was confined to the house with a hard cold last week.

Gertrude Hanson, who has been visiting at Vester Cleveland's, has returned home.

Rev. Willis Howes of Derby Center preached at the M. E. church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Hancock and little son visited in Newport Center last week.

The bobbin mill has again started work. Seems good to hear the whistle once more.

Union Christmas exercises will be held in the Congregational church Tuesday evening.

Milo Hancock has finished work at Mr. Lorimer's and began working in Hermon's mill Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Hancock and children of Newport Center spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Esther Hancock.

Wm. C. Brooks and Mrs. Rose Cammett of Troy were quietly married last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. C. G. Miles by Rev. M. W. Hale. Their many friends extend congratulations.

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HICKEY CONVICTED IN SECOND DEGREE

Court Regrets That Justice Has Not Been Done

Buffalo, Dec. 23.—The jury in the case of J. Frank Hickey, on trial for the murder of Joseph Josephs, the 7-year-old Lackawanna boy, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree. The jury had been deliberating for twenty-four hours. The verdict carries with it a sentence of life imprisonment.

Judge Brown, in discharging the jury, said: "It is extremely to be regretted that justice could not be done the defendant. The public and the court do not feel satisfied with this result. For those of you who have earnestly endeavored to procure a different result the court desires to extend to you its sincere thanks for your efforts to render justice."

Hickey was well pleased with the outcome.

CHILD HELD FOR MURDER

Doctors to Look Into Mental State of a Seven-Year-Old

Atlanta, Dec. 23.—Frank Wilson, 7 years old, an habitual user of tobacco in all forms, according to testimony, was arraigned here on the charge of killing his 7-year-old playmate, Elmore Herndef.

Witnesses testified the boys quarrelled, after which the Wilson child ran into his home, got a rifle, and shot his playmate when he passed. Decision was reserved until an examination of the child's mental state can be made.

New Chief of Secret Service
Washington, Dec. 20.—William J. Flynn was sworn in as chief of the United States secret service, succeeding John E. Wilkie, who is now supervising special agent of the customs service.

IN BOSTON MARKETS

Butter—Choice northern creamery, 34½@35½c; western creamery, 33½@34½c.

Cheese—York state, fancy, 17½@18c; fair to good, 17@17½c.

Eggs—Choice henry, 38@39c; eastern extras, 36@37c; western extras, 32@34c; western firsts, 29@31c; storage, 19@21c.

Apples—Baldwins, fancy, \$2.25@2.50; No. 1, \$1.75@2.25; No. 2, \$1.25@1.75; Hubbardston, \$1.50@2.25; greenings, \$2@2.50; northern spy, \$2@2.75; pippins, \$1.75@2.25.

Potatoes—Arcostock Green mountain, \$1.35@1.45 per 2 bu bag; sweets, Jersey, \$1@1.25 bskt; \$4@4.25 bbl.

Poultry—Northern fowl, large, 18@19c; medium, 15@16c; roasters, 20@22c; live fowl, 14@15c; native broilers, dressed, 24@25c; native broilers, dressed, 24@25c; native chickens, live, 14@15c; turkeys, northern, choice, 27@28c; western, best, 23@24c; squab, \$4@4.50 doz; western ducks, choice, 18@20c; geese, 17@18c.

FORGED CHECK ON A DARE

Woman Who Did It Sent to Penitentiary For Five Years

Kansas City, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Mabel Benson of White Water was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary because she forged a \$45 check on a dare offered by her sister-in-law.

"I never refused to take a dare," she told the judge.

"I dare you to serve five years in the penitentiary," said the court.

"I'm giving you the limit."

Mrs. Benson's husband is a civil engineer. She has two small children.

Oregon Woman Elected Mayor
Warrington, Ore., Dec. 20.—By a margin of sixteen votes, this town elected Miss Clara Munson its mayor.

Miss Munson has the distinction of being the first woman mayor elected in Oregon. She headed the Citizens' ticket.

Cheap Lodgings in Japan.

In some parts of Japan a night's lodging at poor men's inns can be obtained for 5 sen, about 2 cents.

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Special on Diamond Rings at \$15 to \$35 and a choice line at more money

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